

# GOBBLE! GOBBLE!! GOBBLE!!! LOT OF MONEY IN THAT NOISE

## DAY WELL MAKING 10 BBLs.—EXPECT TO DRILL DEEPER

The Thad O. Day well on the Dutton tract, 11 miles north of Brady, continues to produce oil, and after being twice bailed out, is pronounced by Mr. Day himself as good for a 10 barrel daily production, although the oil sands were barely pierced. After standing for 48 hours, the well was bailed out last Friday, producing between 6 and 10 barrels of oil, with only about two gallons of salt water with each barrel of oil. Sunday, after being shut down for another 48-hour period, the well was again bailed, when its former production was again equaled. As a further test, the well was bailed dry, and after a wait of one hour and 20 minutes, the bailer was run down and a full barrel of oil was bailed out.

Mr. Day expects to continue bailing the well at intervals until he is assured that all salt water has been gotten out of the sands. The hole stood full of salt water for three weeks after the oil sands were struck, awaiting Mr. Day's return from Kansas. By frequent bailing, all danger from water having penetrated the oil sands is expected to be overcome.

Mr. Day states that when this has been accomplished, he expects to drill through the sands and test them out. If the production is not increased, he will then continue drilling.

The lessened production of the well is attributed by many to the fact that the chopped-up rope and other obstacles placed in the hole in the effort to stop the leak in the first packer, were dropped to the bottom of the hole when the packers were reset, and now obstruct the perforations in casing at the bottom of the hole. However, this obstruction will be overcome when the hole is drilled deeper into the sands.

Oil men who have visited the new shallow oil strike on the White Company ranch, near Mercury, are very enthusiastic over the find, and as soon as casing can be secured and set, will make a thorough test of the discovery.

Considerable interest was aroused by rumor of the bringing in of a 300-barrel well by the Leonard Petroleum Co. on the Waring ranch. The facts appear to be that the first oil sands, struck a couple months ago, were drilled through and found to be only a couple feet in thickness. Shortly after drilling deeper another oil sand was struck, and the well was then shut down awaiting the arrival of officials to determine the course of the drilling. Just the extent of this new sand or the amount of the showing had, has not been definitely learned.

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## MARTIN WELL IN SAN SABA COUNTY TO START DRILL GOING IN NEAR FUTURE

H. A. Martin, field man for the Martin Oil Co., arrived last week to meet the head driller who was already here and get the drill to going in the well north of town. The head driller has been mud bound in San Saba for some ten days and has been unable to get any hauling done.

Plans are all perfected and the men and tools are now here for the resumption of actual drilling in this well just as soon as the roads are passable.—San Saba News.

Walk-Over Shoes are better—get them at Kirk's Quality Shop, Nuf-Sed.

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## Death of Mrs. W. D. Gray.

The death of Mrs. W. D. Gray occurred last Thursday, November 13th, at 9:40 p. m., following an illness of several weeks, and which culminated in pneumonia. At the time of death, she was aged 56 years, 11 months and 26 days.

Mrs. Gray had made her home in Brady the greater part of the past five years, prior to which time she had lived at Carrizo, N. M. Her husband, W. D. Gray, died here July 2, 1918.

Mrs. Gray was of a lovable disposition, and was ever ready to help those who called upon her services; consequently she was admired and held in highest esteem, and her death brings sadness to all.

Funeral services were held Friday, the Rev. J. H. Taylor conducting, and interment was made at Calf Creek cemetery, the body being laid to rest besides that of her departed husband.

Surviving are four children, viz: Fred Gray, Floyd Gray and Mrs. Otto Kinman, all of Brady, and Claud Savage of Willsboro, Texas, all of whom were present at her death with the exception of Mr. Savage.

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## BRADY'S BIG TURKEY TROT ON-CLINKING DOLLARS SOUND LIKE JAZZ BAND

**FINEST, FATTEST TURKEYS IN BRADY HISTORY BEING MARKETED—RANGE PRODUCT REPRESENTS BIG PROFITS TO GROWERS—SLAUGHTERING BEGUN.**

The finest, fattest birds we have ever handled, is the verdict passed by local dealers upon the turkeys now being marketed by the farmers of the McCulloch country. Turkeys were never in better shape for market than this year. They are fat, of extraordinary weight, pick easily, and are of the size and kind that is in greatest demand on the Thanksgiving and holiday markets. At that, they are range products—with an abundance of feed stuffs, mast and roughness grown everywhere in this section, the birds—like Topsy—just grew! Ordinarily it is a custom to weed out the lighter birds and hold them back until the end of the season—but this year there are few or no light birds. The toms weigh around 20 pounds, and many of the hens run around 15 pounds, and dress about 13 pounds. Roughly averaging the weight, the turkeys now run from 12 to 17 pounds.

The turkeys are coming in by the dressed birds for market Wednesday, hundreds—in droves, in wagon loads. The slaughtering of the birds is proceeding slowly on account of the scarcity of labor, and the accumulation of slaughtering last Thursday and ex-birds has already filled their big pen to load out their first car of poultry yard, covering a half-block of

## FUEL SHORTAGE IN BRADY BECOMES SERIOUS PROBLEM

The fuel shortage in Brady has become so serious that a shut-down of all local industries is imminent. In fact, every business depending upon the Brady Water & Light Works for power, has been forced to close down since Tuesday morning.

The businesses affected include the Brady Standard, The Brady Sentinel, Brady Steam Laundry, the meat markets—in fact, all enterprises depending upon electricity from the municipal plant to operate their motors and machinery.

This will explain the delay in the issuance of this issue of The Standard! It will also give the reason for any delay or non-appearance of our Friday issue!

The Brady Water & Light Works has two cars of coal and one of fuel oil enroute. The coal was at first confiscated, but later released—but it has not yet reached here. In the meantime, in common with other local industries using fuel oil, they have been borrowing and swapping for fuel from those who happen to have a supply on hand. The local supply has run so low that Tuesday the power plant only sought to keep up enough steam to pump water, thus supplying the citizens with this necessity, as well as maintaining a supply for fire protection, and also enabling the gins, compress and oil mills to keep up steam.

Wednesday, power has been promised for all day to enable the newspapers, laundry and other users of motors to get in a full day's work, thereby partly catching up. Beyond that no promises are forthcoming.

The laundry recently obtained a car of lignite, dividing it with the city. They can operate their plant with coal, but cannot fire their boilers with lignite, and depend upon the city to furnish power for their irons, and other machinery.

Embry's gin reports enough coal on hand to run about two weeks. They can fire their boilers with fuel oil, if oil can be obtained.

The Planter's gin is being supplied with fuel by the Brady Cotton Oil Co. until a car of oil enroute from Corsicana for the past ten days arrives.

Koerth's gin is also kept running on oil obtained from the Brady Cotton Oil Co.

The McCulloch County Cotton Oil Mill is out of fuel and will be closed down Wednesday awaiting arrival of delayed shipments from various points.

The Brady Cotton Oil Mill is the only local concern now having a supply of fuel oil, and it is very limited. At that, manager Klatt is dividing it out among the gins and is also furnishing the light and power plant. In this manner, it is hoped to bridge over the fuel famine until some of the long-expected shipments of oil or coal, enroute from various points in Oklahoma or Texas, can be received. The refineries are from 8 to 10 days late in starting shipments, and the railroads move the tank cars on an average of but 11 miles per day.

## MITCHELL-BREWER IN COLEMAN COUNTY SHOWING 12 MILLION CUBIC FEET OF GAS

The Mitchell-Morris No. 1 (known as Brewer gasser), is showing 12,000,000 cubic feet of gas on top of the sand at 1700 feet.

This well is one of the interesting and sensational wild cats in the Coleman county field. At 660 feet the well produced oil, estimated from ten to fifty barrels and having a gas pressure estimated at 3,000,000 cubic feet. At 1640 feet the well showed 25,000,000 cubic feet of gas and was shut down at this depth to supply fuel through a six-inch line to other wells drilling in the Mitchell-Gray field. At various times the gas got away from control, one time blowing two joints of casing through the derrick.

The Mitchell Production Company acquired the well for the purpose of making a thorough deep test and started drilling a short time ago, with the result stated above. The site of the well is near the southeast corner of Alexander Area survey No. 190, Morris tract.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

ground space in the rear of their headquarters on North Bridge street, almost to overflowing. Expert pickers are drawing down from \$6.00 to \$8.00 per day, and large numbers of school boys are picking up a nice bunch of pin money by picking birds after school hours and on Saturdays.

The Brady Brokerage Co. is also preparing to market turkeys, and expects soon to be ready to begin slaughtering for the Christmas trade. At present they are actively buying turkeys, but are not slaughtering.

The marketing of turkeys, which attains its greatest volume about the Thanksgiving holiday, will continue without let-up until a few days before Christmas, when the season automatically closes. By that time, all market demands have been supplied, or else the city shoppers have decided upon some substitute for the favorite and unequalled National bird. Without question, all who this year secure a McCulloch county turkey for the center of attraction in their Thanksgiving or Christmas dinner, are assured of a delicacy that cannot be surpassed.

During the Fall rush—people who can, should do their shopping on days other than Saturday; you can get better service. C. H. VINCENT, South Side.

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## JAMES CALLAN OUT MENARD JAIL ON \$10,000 BOND

San Angelo, Texas, Nov. 14.—Two nights ago on a ranch four miles northeast of Menard, T. V. Billings, aged 24, young stockman from Naple, DeWitt county, was shot to death. It is said that a bullet from an automatic pistol entering his back and rearing upward ploughed through his heart. This afternoon there was enacted at Menard another chapter in the tragedy which is one of the most sensational in the history of West Texas.

James Callan, influential Menard ranchman, one of the most prominent figures in livestock industry in the southwest and a former president of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association, was released from Menard jail under \$10,000 bail for his appearance Saturday before County Judge J. D. Seruggs for examining trial. Callan is charged with murder in connection with the death of Billings. He declines to make statements, as do Russell Callan, his son, and a negro who witnessed the shooting, reports, however, say Callan, in his auto, passing Billings on his ranch, accused the youth with leaving the pasture gates open. Billings at the time was driving horses from Sonora to Menard for shipment. A quarrel is said to have ensued, culminating in the shooting. It is further stated that Billings was unarmed.

The body was started to Naple Friday, going to San Antonio by automobile. J. T. Westbrook and William Bevans, both of Menard, signed Callan's bond this afternoon. Delay in arrival Friday of District Attorney George Christian from Blanco caused postponement of the examining trial.

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H. F. Schwenker, Editor

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### ADVERTISING RATES

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Notices of church entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all matters not news, will be charged for at the regular rates.

BRADY, TEXAS, Nov. 18, 1919.

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HONEST INJUN.  
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Today is the time to begin to "Do Your Christmas Shopping Early."

### TEACHER'S PAY.

There is a great hue and cry all over the country for more pay for the teachers. The teacher who imagines he or she can be paid in money for real service is wholly ignorant of the calling. He or she is blind as a bat. Teachers, like preachers, can not be paid in money. Money cannot buy their service. Their reward is in the good they do. And when the teachers and the preachers get back to that old standard they will be better off and the people will get better service. When teachers measure their success by the good they do rather than by the salary they receive the world will be getting better. There is entirely too great an effort to put the class-room and the pulpit on the dollar basis—the gold standard, if you please. It has become quite popular for teachers to resign at any time they can get a better salary somewhere else. No school board ought to accept the resignation of a teacher who has resigned. But that teacher ought to be first—gained. And when a teacher is found who works for the world's sake then the school board ought to raise the salary of that teacher to the top notch without being asked. Sun-of-a-Gun is "agin" this campaign for higher salaries for teachers. Every teacher in Texas who is teaching for the money there is in it is already getting more money than he or she is worth. More next time.—San Saba News.

"Sun-of-a-Gun" is right! Also, he is wrong!

It is true that teachers and preachers cannot be paid in dollars and cents for the services they perform. Neither can good newspaper men, nor anyone else who faithfully performs a duty towards the public. But the remuneration can be at least adequate to their physical, spiritual and mental welfare. The man who preaches that the pay given teachers in the past is adequate at the present time and under the present abnormal conditions, is convincing no one but himself—and we doubt if even he believes in what he says. The editor who believes that school boards are prone to raise the salaries of teachers who give first-class service, in any degree commensurate with the services, is placing too great a faith in humanity. The Standard editor does not approve of teachers "jumping their contracts" because of a better salary offered elsewhere. He does not believe in teachers putting dollars before duty. But neither does he believe that school boards have their eyes open to the full merits of the teachers unless the teachers take some pains in explaining their own merits and then placing a valuation upon their services in accordance therewith. The Lord has out sending ravens to feed the faithful.

### BLESSED WEATHER

Isn't it a pretty weather we are having? And such a change from what it was ten days ago! But Texas is like that. It is one blessed weather after another—blessed wet or blessed dry, blessed fair or blessed dark. Who would wish to live out of Texas when there is still so much blessed room in Texas?—State Press

Dallas News.

If the blessed weather did not change, some blessed editors would have a blessed thing to write a—Ballinger Banner-Ledger.

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## THE BRADY STANDARD

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TEXAS

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### SNAP SHOTS.

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### Card of Thanks.

In the midst of our sorrow at the death of our dear son and brother, Perry K. Reed, our hearts go out with deep gratitude to the neighbors, friends and attendants who aided and comforted us during the days of his illness and at his death. We pray God's richest blessings upon you all.

C. K. REED,  
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### PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. J. A. Ballou arrived Saturday from Rosedale, N. M., and will remain in Brady until after the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Broad came over from Menard yesterday on a combined trip and visit with home folks and friends.

E. V. Carroll, formerly head of the water and light works at Weatherford, was in the city Monday on a business visit.

Jack Keyser of Stephenville has been spending the past week here, a guest of his sister, Mrs. Burl T. Wiley, and friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gault and children were here from the Phlox community shopping Monday. Mr. Gault reported busy times down his way these pretty days.

Blaire Sammons came here yesterday from Eldorado, where he is working on the J. O. Willoughby ranch, and is spending a few days here visiting his father, W. W. Sammons, and friends in the city.

Mrs. Paul Johnson, who has been spending the past week here as a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Searcy, will return to her home at Viejo tomorrow. Mr. Johnson is here to accompany her home.

### Card of Thanks.

We take this means of expressing our deep gratitude to neighbors and friends of Brady and Calif Creek communities for the help and comfort rendered us during the illness and upon the death of our dear mother. May Heaven bless you all.

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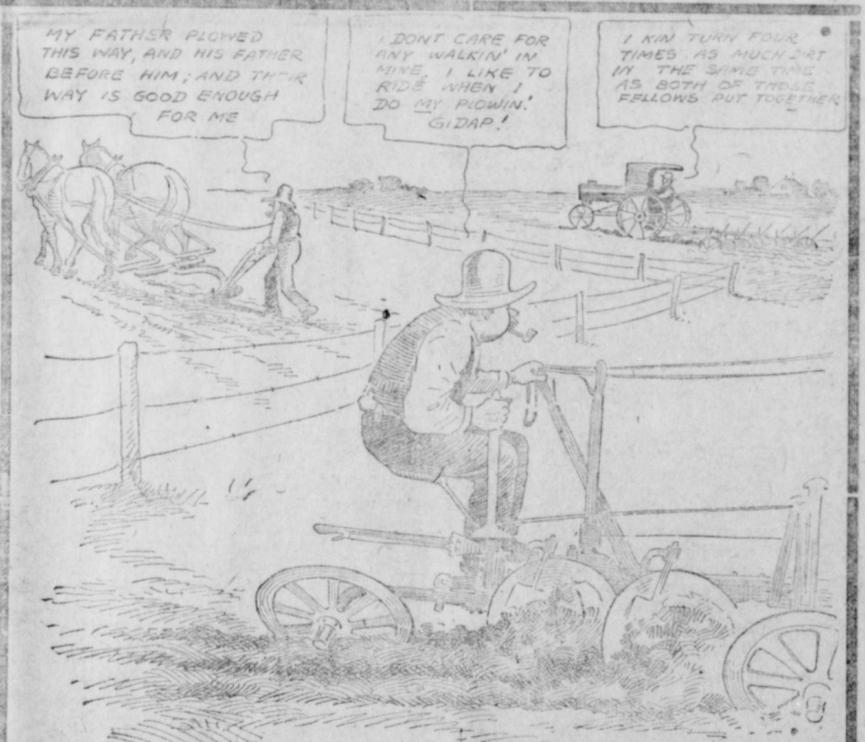
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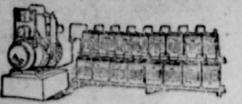
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**LARGE PORTION OF BAPTIST FUNDS FOR TEXAS SCHOOLS**

**PRESIDENT OF THE BAPTIST GENERAL CONVENTION OF TEXAS OUTLINES HOW MORE THAN \$8,000,000 WILL BE EXPENDED IN TEXAS.**

Dallas.—Texas will share more largely in the Southern Baptist 75 Million Campaign than any other of the eighteen states participating, according to M. H. Wolfe, prominent layman of Dallas, president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. The Texas quota, \$16,000,000, is more than twice that of any other State. Of the amount to be raised in Texas, \$7,249,000 will be devoted to foreign missions, missions in the Southern States, Panama, Cuba, to ministerial relief, and South wide institutions. What will be done with the \$8,600,000 to be expended in



M. H. WOLFE

Texas is sketched by Mr. Wolfe in the following interview: "The first concern of the Baptists of Texas is for education. Since the inauguration of the Great War by Germany, whose schools, denominated by German Kultur, were responsible for the Kaiser's repulsive nationalistic and racialist education, the matter of Christian education has assumed an especially new importance. State education is vitally defective because Christianity is neglected. We cannot neglect Christian education without peril to all of society."

Twelve Schools—6000 Students. "We have twelve big schools in Texas, headed by Baylor University, with an annual enrollment of over 6000 students. Baylor has a small endowment, as has also the Southwestern Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, and possibly Simmons College at Abilene. Baylor College for women at Belton, Howard Payne at Brownwood, Huston College at Greenville, Wayland College at Plainview, Decker College, Marshall College, Rusk Junior College, San Marcos Academy and the Baylor Medical College at Dallas, have none. The five year program provides for debts, deficits, student aid, equipment and endowment for these twelve institutions, the total sum of a little over \$5,000,000 or about \$1,000,000 a year.

This amount, of course, is far too small to meet the actual need for such an educational foundation and program, but it will greatly strengthen. This, with the auxiliary campaigns which citizens have launched among non-Baptists in the vicinity of each institution, with a view of supplementing the amount coming from the 75 Million Campaign to these vigorous institutions, highly valued in each locality where situated, make the future look much brighter.

To Evangelize Foreigners "Along with their schools Texas Baptists are equally interested in the thorough Christianizing of their State through the instrumentality of State Missions. They have allotted \$1,750,000 to this object for the five-year period. By means of this fund they will seek to evangelize the foreigners in their midst, help negroes to a stronger church life, plant hundreds of new churches in sparsely settled, communities, assist struggling churches in straggling centers, carry forward the vast training activities of the Sunday Schools, young people's societies, women's organizations, and seek to win thousands to Christianity by organized evangelism.

Another field of service which Texas Baptists have recognized is that of healing through the agency of hospitals. The great Texas Baptist Memorial Hospital at Dallas is now a million dollar plant, caring for more than eleven thousand patients last year. The first Texas Baptist hospital was the Honored Family Hospital, doing a marvelous work. The Central Texas Sanitarium at Waco is just now opening with a staff of 100. Other sanitariums have been projected at San Antonio, Austin and Brownsville. For the same institutions there has been allotted the total sum of \$1,500,000. In a State where such ministrations are so badly needed the Baptists long to serve humanity in the name of Christ.

Home for Backward Home "Furthermore, an institution dear to the hearts of Texas Baptists is Backer Orphan Home. For it has been at work since 1880 for permanent equipment. The Home cares for more than 10 orphan children annually. No institution the Baptists of Texas have ever made has brought them more satisfaction than the money they have put into this noble institution. Will Texas' Baptists win in this campaign? We have many anxieties about it. Much depends upon thorough organization and full information. More depends upon the spirit of sacrifice. We are standing on the threshold of a new civilization around the world, and Christianity is the only hope of humanity. The Nations have wandered away from God and will not come back until drawn by Christianity in its purest simplicity. The Baptist message has the simple charm for which the world is hungering. Will we meet the test of steel and answer God's Call?"

**RUNNELS COUNTY PRISONERS FIRE JAIL IN EFFORT TO MAKE THEIR ESCAPE**

Five Runnels county prisoners and one Concho county prisoner were carried to San Angelo and placed in the Tom Green county jail for safe keeping, Tuesday night, following the burning of the Runnels county jail. The six men were handcuffed and chained together and carried to San Angelo by Deputy Sheriff Armstrong and Commissioner Meadows on the train which was due here at midnight, but did not arrive until four o'clock Wednesday morning.

The six prisoners had a narrow escape from death by suffocation caused from smoke from a fire in the roof of the jail which is presumed was started by their own hands, and the Runnels county jail was damaged to the extent of two or three thousand dollars, and is in such shape that it will have to be completely overhauled before it can be used again.

Sheriff Perkins no doubt feels that it never rains but what it pours, as the old saying goes, as it was the third bad night for him in succession. Sunday morning, Charlie King, a negro prisoner, made his escape. The negro came in and surrendered Monday and was among those in jail when the fire started Tuesday night. Tuesday morning about two o'clock Tom Robertson, convicted for stealing an auto, escaped by sawing the bars, and the other four white prisoners were in the act of leaving the jail when Mr. Perkins discovered the break. And to cap the deal Tuesday night the jail burned.

The prisoners gave the fire alarm about eight o'clock Tuesday night, calling Mrs. Perkins and telling her the jail was on fire. The prisoners had been giving her much trouble, and she did not believe the prisoners and replied to them telling them if the jail was set on fire to put it out, as they had plenty of water in their cells, a hydrant being located in the cell.

The prisoners continued to yell "fire" and call for help, and some one passing the jail discovered the smoke coming from the roof of the building, and was also attracted by the call for help coming from the prisoners.

By the time the fire company reached the jail, and they responded promptly, the upper story of the jail, where the cells are located, was filled with smoke, the smoke being so dense that neither the fire boys nor the officers could enter the building. It was not until a second story window had been smashed and a draft forced which drew the smoke out of the steepled second story could the prisoners be rescued. A few minutes longer and the prisoners would have suffocated, and taken a longer trip than planned for when they told the officers the day before that they were going to get out.

The prisoners were brought to a room on the first floor of the jail and later taken to the Santa Fe station and guarded until the train arrived.

Mr. Perkins says he feels sure that the prisoners set the jail on fire, as one of the men had made threats that he was coming out of that jail, dead or alive.—Ballinger Banner-Ledger.

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### LOCAL BRIEFS

Here's hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Johnson of the East Sweden community, upon the arrival of a fine boy—their first—on Thursday, November 19th.

A. M. Finlay was in from Pile last Friday and ordered The Standard sent another year to his father-in-law, D. Doole, Sr., at Mason. Alie reports busy times out his way, and cotton picking being rushed by all the farmers.

Lee Walker was here from Lampasas on a business visit yesterday, and spent a good part of his visit greeting his many friends. Lee is conducting one of the picture shows at Lampasas, and is meeting with deserved success.

H. Curtis, who recently moved to this county from Humble, Texas, was a visitor at The Standard office, and added his name to our list so he can keep posted on county events. Mr. Curtis has leased from Messrs. J. R. Harrell and W. D. Priest the blacksmith shop at Pear Valley, and is located at that point.

The many friends of Duke Mann were pleased to see him downtown Monday, it being his first visit since taken ill several weeks ago. While looking well, Duke is still weak and gets about with difficulty. However, he hopes soon to have regained his strength sufficiently to again resume light duties amidst the rush of fall business.

Mrs. Cora M. Hartgrove has sold to Harmon Price & Bros. her home place at Millersview, consisting of two sections with house furnished and everything on the place included, for a consideration of \$48,000 cash. This is one of the nicest homes in the county. Mrs. Hartgrove has moved to Paint Rock, which is conveniently close to her other property.—Eden Echo.

R. L. Brock, one of the progressive farmers of the Lohn community, was a pleasant caller at The Standard office the latter part of last week. Lee is wasting no time mourning over the big crops he might have gathered, if weather conditions had been more favorable, but is straining every nerve to gather what remains before the present favorable weather changes for worse.

John T. Storey came in from Lockhart last week and spent a few days looking after business matters. Mr. Storey finds Brady and McCulloch county more and more to his liking with each succeeding trip, and it is only a question of time until he will remain here a permanent citizen and save the time and expense of making so numerous visits.

A. G. Spong arrived on Wednesday of last week from Taylor and spent several days here looking after property interests. Mr. Spong moved the past year to Taylor, where he has been farming, and while excessive rains and crop pests made his efforts anything but a grand success, he nevertheless is going to stick there for another year or two. To put it in his own words, he "can't move every year." However, Mr. Spong says all his folks are anxious to come back to McCulloch county, and he thinks the next couple years will see them all re-established as citizens here.

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### PAPER SHORTAGE MAY RESULT IN INCREASING SUBSCRIPTION AND ADVERTISING RATES

New York Nov. 12. — The joint meeting of the Board of Directors and the Paper committee of the American Newspaper Publishers Association, held Tuesday morning in the office of the Boston Globe in the World building, followed the same general line as the meeting of the Executive committee of the Southern Newspaper Publishers Association, held in Nashville a week earlier.

After considerable discussion it was decided to send a representative from the Paper committee to call on the offices of the International Paper Company and urge the prorating of the proposed reduced production of the International for 1920.

The committee also recommended that all publishers immediately inaugurate a campaign for paper saving. The office of the American Newspaper Publishers association here will immediately send out copy to all publishers, members and non-members, as well, for carrying on this campaign.

Another resolution on this campaign, suggesting marked increases in advertising rate as a means for keeping down the volume of newsprint consumption, and it was also suggested that wherever local conditions make it practicable or desirable, that subscription rates be increased in the larger cities thus to mean a 3-cent basis daily paper and a 10-cent Sunday paper.

### Perry Reed Dead.

The many friends of the family sympathize deeply with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. K. Reed in the death of their son, Perry K. Reed, who passed away last Friday morning at 12:05 o'clock, aged 29 years, 11 months and 1 day. Death followed an illness of some five weeks with typhoid, and while the young man made a brave fight, and about a week prior to his death appeared to have overcome the fever, yet complications arose and the doctors could hold out no hope for ultimate recovery.

Perry Reed was born and raised in Brady, attending the Brady schools, and being held in highest esteem by all. During the past year or so, he had been engaged in farm work, assisting his father with his crop, and it was while engaged in this work he was taken down with his fatal illness.

Funeral services were held at the family residence on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the Rev. S. H. Jones conducting, and interment was made in Brady cemetery.

Besides the parents, there survive four brothers: Ben, Hobert, Dhelas and Travis; and two sisters: Edith and Ethel.

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TOM ELLIOT, Brady, Tex.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly fasting to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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**Christmas**

—Is on the threshold and the war-time lesson in "practical giving" which we have all learned in the past must not be forgotten. Christmas stocks are just being opened up and displays are unusually attractive. The better things will be sold first. So, begin your Christmas shopping now.